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SUBJECT: NEW PRESIDENT CEAUSESCU' S VISIT TO ITALY; ITALIAN-  
ROMANIAN AGREEMENTS

1. DURING ROMANIAN PRESIDENT CEAUSESCU' S VISIT TO ITALY, ROMANIAN FOREIGN TRADE MINISTER PATAN AND ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER MEDICI SIGNED ON MAY 22, TEN YEAR AGREEMENT ON ECONOMIC, INDUSTRIAL AND TECHNICAL COOPERATION. NEW AGREEMENT BROADENS THAT OF 1965 AND IS REPORTEDLY IDENTICAL TO ITALIAN- GDR AGREEMENT SIGNED APRIL 18 ( ROME 3166). ITALY AND USSR HAVE ALSO NEGOTIATED BUT NOT YET SIGNED 10- YEAR COOPERATION AGREEMENT.

2. ALSO SIGNED DURING CEAUSESCU' S VISIT WERE A) NAVIGATION AGREEMENT CALLING FOR MOST FAVORED NATION TREATMENT OF EACH  
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OTHER' S VESSELS -- REPORTEDLY PARALLELING ITALIAN- CHINESE  
MARITIME TRANSPORT AGREEMENT OF OCTOBER 1972 ( ROME 5594);  
AND B) TRADE PROTOCOL NEGOTIATED BY MIXED COMMISSION ESTABLISHED  
UNDER 1969 ITALIAN- ROMANIA 1970-1974 TRADE AGREEMENT.

3. FOLLOWING OFFICIAL PORTION OF VISIT, CEAUSESCU VISITING  
VARIOUS INDUSTRIAL PLANTS IN GENOA, TORINO AND MILAN.

4. FIAT WILL REPORTEDLY CONSTRUCT IN ROMANIA FACTORY  
FOR SMALL AUTOMOBILES WITH CAPACITY 120,000 VEHICLES ANNUALLY  
BY 1980. AGREEMENT REGARDING INITIAL FINANCING OF THIS  
PROJECT, ESTIMATED AT \$30-40 MILLION, IS EXPECTED IN JUNE.  
ALSO UNDER CONSIDERATION ARE FOURTEEN INDUSTRIAL PROJECTS TO  
BE CARRIED OUT BY BOTH COUNTRIES IN THE MACHINE TOOL SECTOR,  
THIRTEEN IN THE CHEMICAL SECTOR, FIVE IN LIGHT INDUSTRY,  
TWELVE IN THE AGRICULTURAL SECTOR AND FOUR IN THE LUMBER  
INDUSTRY. VOLPE

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